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KITTERY MAN IS BENEFITTED

Under the so-called "gratuity bill" passed on the last Massachusetts Legislature a number of veterans of the Civil war have been benefited. The bounty money amounting to \$125, is paid by the State to soldiers and sailors who did not receive bounty during the Civil war, the most recent beneficiary being Charles N. Holmes of Kittery, who fulfilled three years' service.

PORTSMOUTH BOY HEADS COOPER UNION

Andrew J. Hughes of Newton Highlands, a former Portsmouth boy, has been elected President of the Coopers International union. This election at the St. Louis convention was the third time he was selected to head the branch of organized labor of America. The honor came to him as a reward for his good work during the past two years. Mr. Hughes is one of the best informed men on labor matters in the United States and never during his term of office has any grievance between the union and employer been prolonged after he took a hand in the trouble. When a resident here he was employed by the Frank Jones Brewing Company when he served his apprenticeship.

PORTSMOUTH WAS REPRESENTED

Mrs. Mary J. Wood of this city attended the progressive convention at Concord on Thursday as a delegate. Several progressives of the opposite sex from this city were also present.

OFFICIAL VISITATION.

On Wednesday evening Grand Master Chauncey B. Hoyt of this city made an official visitation to Chaucer, Tribe, I. O. B. M., at Farmington, Pol-

MILL OPERATIVES WALKED OUT

Two Thousand Lawrence Operatives Protest Against Keeping Their Leader in Jail

Lawrence, Mass., Sept. 27.—Two thousand operatives in the Washington mill of the American Woolen company left their work late yesterday as a protest against the confinement in jail of Joseph J. Eltor and Arturo Giovanniotti. There was no disorder.

Without warning about 100 operatives walked out of the worsted spinning department. They were followed by workers in many other departments and in several instances departments were shut down. Some employees said they left because of fear of violence.

The strikers and their sympathizers gathered in front of the mill and after a short time marched to the Lower Pacific mill a short distance away. Shouting and singing, the demonstrating workers attempted to induce the Lower Pacific operatives to join their ranks, but were not suc-

cessful. As soon as the police were notified of the gathering a detail of ten officers was sent to the scene. The strikers were informed that they must disperse and they left the mill without showing any resistance.

A small number of the strikers attempted to cross the South Union street bridge towards the Woods mill, but policemen who had assembled at the bridge, turned them back.

Eltor and Giovanniotti, leaders of the Industrial Workers of the World, will be placed on trial on the superior court in Salem on Sept. 30, charged with being accessories before the fact to the murder of Miss Anna Lopizzo during the textile strike here last winter. Miss Lopizzo was shot and killed during a riot on the night of Jan. 23 and on the following night the two men were arrested. Since that time they have been held without bail.

Following the routine work, a repast of corn and venison was served.

METHODIST PRAYER MEETING.

The prayer meeting will be held tonight at 7.30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Charles E. Jones on State street.

ATTENDED REUNION.

Tham B. Lord, of this city attended the forty-second reunion of the whigs.

23rd Massachusetts Regiment held at

Beverly on Thursday.

THE WEATHER.

Washington, Sept. 26.—Forecast for Northern New England—Unsettled Friday; Saturday fair; light to moderate, variable winds. Local Forecast for Portsmouth and vicinity—Friday unsettled; Saturday fair; light to moderate westerly winds.

MILKMEN ACCEPT HOOD & SON'S OFFER OF 38C

H. P. Hood & Sons, milk contractors, say they received a letter yesterday from one of their producers, a director in the Boston Cooperative Milk Producers' Company, accepting their prices for the six months from October to April.

This they take to indicate that the threatened danger of a milk strike by the producers is for the present averted.

"Our producers," their statement reads, "seem to be very much pleased with our six months' offer of an average of 38 cents per 8 1/2 quart can, the highest in over 40 years."

"On several car lines we have already contracted for from 75 to 85 per cent. of the milk, and on one or two lines more contracts were signed than ever before."

"We shall have no difficulty in getting milk enough on Oct. 1, and if we have the cooperation of the producers and of the consumers we shall be able to maintain the present price in the city."

ELKS PLAN A BUSY SEASON

Portsmouth Lodge of Elks is formulating a season of social activity. Two contests with social clubs of the city, a series of assemblies for the Elks and their ladies and a series of entertainments for the men in addition to the annual bowling and athletic tournaments between the Bucks and the Bells are in the process of arrangement. Meanwhile the lodge has ascended to 400 and is on its way to the 500 membership mark.

As now planned the tournament with the Portsmouth Athletic club will begin Oct. 13, and will continue through the two succeeding Wednesdays. At the first session in the Elks' home on Pleasant street cribbage and pitch will be played in the upper hall while the bowlers will hold forth in the alley at the rear of the home. On the succeeding Wednesday pool and billiards will be played at the home of the Athletic club. The tournament will close with the playing of cribbage and pitch in the Elks' home and bowling, after which the members of both organizations will participate in a banquet in a hotel or public hall to be selected.

Arrangements for the inter-club tournament are in the hands of a committee consisting of Charles S. Long, Thomas F. Meehan, Reginald C. Jones, Ira M. St. Clair and Thomas J. Lynch, representing the Elks, and James E. Whalley, Harrie H. Foote, Allan H. Robinson and Fred H. Marden of the Athletic club. The committee of Elks have appointed the following team captains: Billiards and pool, Jackson M. Washburn; bowling, John W. Mitchell; cribbage, William H. Moran; pitch, Michael A. Barrett.

The assemblies for Elks and their ladies will consist principally of dancing and whist in the Elks' home. Socials for the members will be confined to literary and musical programs. The annual inter-club tournament with the Warwick club will be in January.

Arrangements for the annual lodge of sorrow are being made by a committee consisting of Frederick M. Schneider, Augustin Dondoro, Joseph M. Hassett, Charles W. Gray and John A. Pethie.

In view of the steady increase of membership in the lodge, the following membership committee, which will organize in the home, Oct. 7, has been appointed: James A. McCarthy, past exalted ruler; William H. Moran, John G. Graham, Andrew O. Caswell, Ernest L. Chaney and Augustin Dondoro, John H. Buckley and Irene M. Jette Harbor; Luman R. Griffin, Thomas of Exeter; Joseph W. Simpson of York Cogger and C. Eugene Janvier of North Hampton, Fred G. Barker, Michael A. Barrett, Russell D. Badger, Raphael L. Costello, Alvin T. Dares, Timothy A. Donovan, Oscar Eldredge, Joseph M. Hume, Edwin C. Hephworth, Valentine A. Hett, Ralph B. Hill, J. Wallace Lear, Sperry H. Locke, Frank M. McMahon, Dr. John H. Neal, John A. Pethie, Herbert O. Prime, Charles W. Gray, James J. Ryan, Dr. Martin A. Higgins, Dr. Fred S. Towle, Charles E. Traflet, Sidney S. Trueman, Jackson W. Downing, Maurice A. Farrell, Dr. Samuel T. Griffin, George P. Scott, Michael Hurley, William Casey, John A. Hett, John L. Root, Charles S. Long, W. Harry Chick, Reginald C. Jones and Edwin H. Rose.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Stillson have returned from a two weeks trip to Baltimore, Albany and Niagara Falls.

SHOT HIS WIFE AND TWO GIRLS

Policeman Who Arrested Harry Thaw Goes on the Rampage and Then Commits Suicide

New York, Sept. 25.—Anthony Debs, the policeman who arrested Harry K. Thaw after he killed Stanley White on the Madison-sq. Garden roof, shot and probably mortally injured his wife today, sent bullets into the thighs of two small girls, and then committed suicide.

The shooting took place in front of the Debs home on the upper West Side after a quarrel, the outcome of which was the serving of a subpoena upon Debs summoning him to appear in the Domestic Relations Court.

Standing on the lowest step of the stoop, Debs fired four times at his wife as she stood on the landing. One shooting.

Anthony Debs' wife went wild, another entered his wife's head and the others struck Harry K. Thaw after he killed Stanley White on the Madison-sq. Garden roof, shot and probably mortally injured his wife today, sent bullets into the thighs of two small girls, and then committed suicide.

Debs entered his home, reloaded his revolver, and shot himself in the temple. Two hours later he died in the hospital where his wife lies in a critical condition tonight with the two children, less seriously injured in an adjoining ward.

Debs had two small children who were not at home at the time of the shooting.

RAILROAD NOTES

Under the Winter schedule of train service the passenger crews who alternate on the runs between Wolfboro and Boston will not be required to do the freight work between Sanfordville and Wolfboro as last year. This work will hereafter be done by an extra freight crew.

At the annual meeting of the Boston and Albany freight company, held at the New Haven's south terminal, it was announced that total dividends for the year amounted to \$3.34 per cent. The following directors were elected: W. K. Vanderbilt of New York; Chester W. Bliss of Springfield, Mass.; Augustus G. Bullock, Worcester, Mass.; Zenas Crane, Livingston Davis, Milton, Mass.; R. H. Gardner, Gardner, Me.; C. C. Hunnill, Boston, C. S. Sergeant, Reginald Foster, Manchester, Mass.

At a meeting immediately following of the Pittsfield and North Adams corporations, Messrs. Crane, Bliss, and Foster named above together with the following were elected directors: Woodward Hudson, Concord, Mass.; James H. Hustis, New London, Mass.

Nearly 5000 carloads of fruit are handled annually at the freight yards of the Boston and Maine railroad at Charlestown, Mass.

At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Boston & Maine railroad company to be held on Oct. 3, the stockholders will be asked to authorize an issue of 100,000 shares of common stock, the proceeds to be used for the payment of money borrowed to purchase capital stock of the Worcester, Nashua and Rochester railroad, the Maine Central railroad, the Boston and Lowell railroad and the Concord and Montreal railroad. Also the stockholders will be asked to authorize the issue of \$7,500,000 of bonds, about \$4,000,000 of which will, it is said be used in the purchase of new equipment.

AS VIEWED BY THE POST MAN

It is something to the advantage of citizens to live on the lines of big and powerful railroads, as the people of Pittsfield are realizing through the announcement of plans for a new station to be built there by the New York Central and the New Haven companies.

As the denizens along the old Eastern division of the Boston & Maine read of the half-million-dollar marble beauty to be built at Pittsfield, and think of the dirty and gloomy barracks at Salem and the archaic barn at Portsmouth, they may be heard to mutter not over-gently: "How long, Brother Mellen, how long?"—Boston Post.

who occupies the house owned by A. B. Cole on Pleasant street is to move to Boston and the house has ELIOT.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Warren of South Berwick, were the guests of her brother, H. H. Foss on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Prickett of North Berwick visited their cousin Mrs. Mary Hancome, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Staples passed Thursday in Newington, the guests of her sisters, Misses Abble and Mary Pickering.

Harvey King and Leon P. Spinney have returned to their studies at Colby University, Waterville, Me.

Miss Myra A. Cole, a graduate of the Eliot high school has entered the Plymouth Business school in Portsmouth.

Miss Martha W. Dixon has returned home after a short visit with her mother, Mrs. Morris Leach.

Murray Nelson is substituting for Earl E. Stevens with the T. F. Staples Grocery Co., during the latter's vacation.

Wednesday was a holiday for the high school pupils in order for those who wished to attend Rochester Fair.

The excursion to the White Mountains today numbered quite a few from this town.

Mr. Reagan and family have closed their bungalow here and returned to their home in Portsmouth.

A large number of people from here went to the Rochester Fair yesterday.

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NEW YORK REPUBLICANS STILL AT SEA

SARATOGA, N. Y., Sept. 26.—A candidate to head the republican state ticket is expected to emerge today from the tangle of speculation that has beset the state convention ever since the delegates began to gather here last Monday. In their efforts to test sentiment the leaders have suggested one man after another without stirring up any convincing show of enthusiasm.

Unless the republicans repeat the experience of the progressives at Syracuse, and find their leader in an unexpected outburst of harmonious approval, the nominee seems likely to be selected by carefully weighing the strength of the various men proposed and choosing the one who can make the most convincing show.

For the moment State Senator Harvey D. Himmann of Binghamton is foremost among those whose availability is being discussed.

The convention, when it met about 11 a. m., effected a permanent organization and made State Senator Brackett of this village permanent chairman.

COAL SITUATION GETTING WORSE

That coal will be scarce and high this fall and winter unless some unforeseen event occurs is the consensus of opinion among Boston retail and wholesale dealers. The price at present in Greater Boston holds at \$7.50-\$7.75, but it is claimed that many dealers are losing money at this figure. The opinion appears to be that unless a change for the better soon comes some of the dealers will be forced to the wall or at least to close up shop.

No change for the better in the eastern market is probable, say the coal men, until December at the earliest. At present, the West and northwest is receiving the bulk of the coal shipments and this supply will not be diverted to the eastern coast until the lakes are frozen and shipments to the West cease. It is expected that by December there will be large shipments of coal to New England ports, but even then, coal men assert the supply will run short. There is a shortage of some 10,000,000 tons of anthracite, only 3,000,000 of which has been overcome, as the result of the strike during last April and May.

ANOTHER BASEBALL GAME.

The Portsmouth Catholic Union baseball team and the Newmarket Minis nine of Newmarket will play at the South play grounds on Saturday afternoon at 3.30 o'clock. A good game is expected as the Newmarket nine have put up a fine article of ball the past season.

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KITTERY.

Kittery Grange meets this evening at Grange hall.

Stanley Lotts of Malden, Mass., is the guest of his mother, Mrs. Sarah Lotts, of Rogers road.

Get your books Saturday for the Rice public library closes that day for two weeks, in order that the librarian may have her annual vacation.

A stereopticon exhibition was given last evening at the Second Christian church, by members of the crew of the U. S. S. North Carolina.

Naval Lodge, A. P. and A. M., meet this Friday evening for a special meeting.

The Juniors of Trapp academy have a benefit entertainment tonight at Academy hall.

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Three of Boston Star Pitchers Who are Expected to Mow Down Giants in World's Series



BOSTON, Sept. 27.—Can the Red Sox pitchers stop the Giants in the world's series? This question the baseball fans are now asking. Local experts say yes. Jake Stahl has five rattling good tossers—Joe Wood, Ray Collins, "Buck" O'Brien, Bedient and Hall—any one of whom is likely to make McGraw's best lively. Wood is one of the most wonderful pitchers of

the age. He is a speed marvel of the Walter Johnson type. Bedient is another fast ball pitcher, and a dandy. Hall is a good curve ball manipulator. "Bucky" O'Brien, who has just rounded into effectiveness for the first time this season, is one of the greatest spitball fingers in the league. Ray Collins is a southpaw and a cracker-jack, too.

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TRANSFER OF RAILROAD MEN

Leander E. Lynde, for several years superintendent of the Manchester street railway, has been elected superintendent of the Dover, Somersworth & Rochester street railway, to fill a vacancy caused by the resignation of Supl. F. A. Holden. Mr. Lynde, who has been in charge of the Dover road for the past two years, goes to Haverhill, Mass., where he assumes the duties of assistant to the general manager of the Massachusetts North-western street railway.

VISITED HAVERHILL.

A party of twelve from the Portsmouth Country Club went to Haverhill on Thursday, where they were the guests of the Island Pond Golf Club.

WILD LANDS NOT ASSESSED IN SOME TOWNS

CONCORD, Sept. 25.—The Tax Commission resumed hearings today, for the purpose of assessing the annual taxes upon the public service corporations of the State.

Colonel Stephen S. Jewett, of Lancaster opened the case for the Boston & Maine Railroad. He said that his client would endeavor to show that the wild lands in the northern part of the state had been very much undervalued ever since increases have been made by the assessors the present year.

He said the railroad would present evidence pertaining to the towns of Clarksville and Pittsburg. He stated that the total valuation of the real estate in Pittsburg, assessed by the selectmen of that town in 1911, was \$1,121,093, and in 1912, \$1,683,748. During 1911, the railroad had experts make a thorough examination of the real estate of that town and those experts placed the valuation at \$5,583,966. The assessed valuation of Clarksville real estate in 1911 was \$241,354; in 1912 it is \$352,424. The value fixed by the railroad experts in 1911 was \$369,110. Using the 1912 assessment and the value fixed by the railroad experts, the real estate of Pittsburg is assessed at 30 per cent, of its value and that of Clarksville at 24 per cent.

The railroad put the three selectmen of Clarksville on the stand as witnesses. It developed that the selectmen figured the entire area of the town at 35,000 acres, when, as a matter of fact, the grant of the township places it at about 40,000. Of this acreage, something like 8,000 acres is in farms and the balance in wild land. Nearly all the wild land is owned by the Connecticut Valley Lumber company, controlled by the Van Dyke interests. Of the three selectmen, Willis A. Harriman, Horace Comstock and Edward L. Roby, only Mr. Comstock had ever had any experience in estimating wild lands and his was very slight. Mr. Harriman testified that he went largely on the judgment of his predecessor as chairman of the board, William W. Young. After the assessment of the resident tax had been made, Mr. Harriman said he went to Stratford, where he met the officers of the Connecticut Valley Lumber company, who said they would not stand for an increase of over forty per cent, in their valuation over what it was in 1911. This was accepted by the board and the taxes assessed with that as a basis.

Mr. Roby said he had been a member of the board for two years. In winter he works in the woods for the Connecticut Valley Company. His work, he said, had not been such as to give him any experience in estimating values. He had never examined the wild lands of the town, as was also the case with his associates. He was not present at the time the taxes were assessed on the wild lands and had never even known what the valuation was. He had not signed the assessment.

The selectmen of Pittsburg, James W. Baldwin, Horace Wright and Sidney Luther, were on the stand this afternoon. It developed that the Tax Commission had notified the selectmen that they found the assessment of the Pittsburg real estate in 1911 to be on a basis of 31 per cent. The selectmen decided to make a 30 per cent increase over the 1911 assessment and later John T. Ames, a member of the commission, ordered a further increase of 28 per cent, over the 1911 assessment, taking the 31 per cent, named by the Commission as the basis the increases already made would bring the present assessment up to about 46 per cent, of the real value.

The Connecticut Valley Lumber company owns 137,000 acres of wild lands in Pittsburg while another 10,000 acres are owned by the Pittsburg Land company. The selectmen all testified that they had had no experience of any account in estimating timber values. Two members of the board had spent a number of winters as laborer in the employ of the Connecticut Valley Lumber company.

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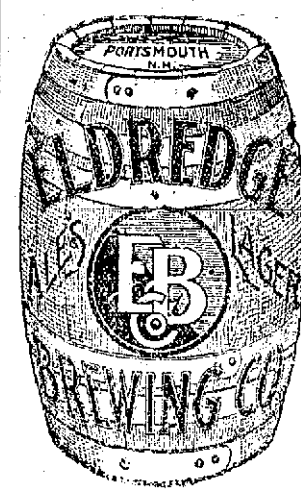
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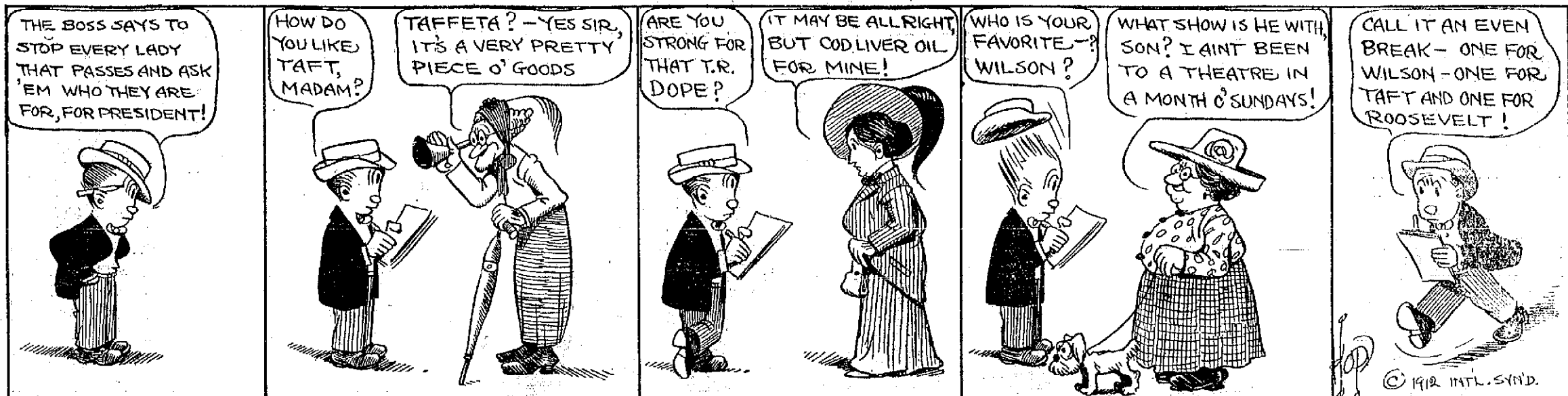
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With Tub Eureka They Capture Third Money at Amesbury.

The Franklin Pierce Veteran Firemen with their hand tub Eureka went to Amesbury on Thursday and secured third money in the hand tub play off. There were fifteen tubs in the contest and the locals were only beaten for second place by a foot.

The Red Jackets of Cambridge won first money with 202 feet, 4 inches and the G. V. Bradstreet of Andover had second, 196 feet, and the Eureka third. The Eureka has for the past two years won first money and they were

the favorites on Thursday.

The results:

Red Jackets, Cambridge, 202ft. 4in.
G. V. Bradstreet, No. Andover, 196ft.
Eureka, Portsmouth, 185ft. 7-8in.
White Angel, Salem, 183ft. 7in.
Hancock, Brockton, 186ft. 9 3-8in.
O. K., Marblehead, 185ft. 11 3-8in.
Triumph, Berwick, 181ft. 9 1-2in.
Neptune, Newburyport, 179ft. 8in.
Vixen, Somersworth, 176ft. 8 1-4in.
Fisherman, Gloucester, 168ft. 1-2in.
Protection, Amesbury, 167ft. 9 4-5in.
Erie, Georgetown, 152ft. 6in.
Two tubs did not reach the paper.

A BOSTON GIRL'S BUDGET.

Red Sox and International Delegates Own New England's Biggest Burg—Copley Square a Lively Centre These Days—Hub's Latest "Tag Day" is a "Deutscher Tag"—New Double Jointed Street Car Can Turn Corners in Beantown's Crookedest District—The Latest Wonder in Rapid Transit Design.

BOSTON, Sept. 27, 1912.—Boston witnessed a unique tag day in the celebration on the Common on a recent Sunday of "Deutscher Tag," an annual German holiday. The celebration was given by Boston German-Americans in commemoration of George Francis Parkman as a public-spirited citizen who was personally interested in German art and literature, and centered around the Parkman bandstand where speaking and a musical program was rendered. The remarkable point of the affair was the participation of 250 voices, members of various German societies, which sang

classical and popular songs in the good old German style. More than ten thousand Bostonians were attracted to the Common by the event, and it is generally hoped that the celebration may become an annual one here as well as in the Fatherland.

The opening of the football season recalls the incident of the Swedish maid who had come into the household during the summer, and who asked of her mistress:

"Where have your son—I not seeing him 'round no more?"

"My son," replied the mistress, proudly, "Oh, he has gone back to Yale. I miss him dreadfully, though."

"Yes, I know youst how you feel. My brother, he bane in yall sax times since Thanksgiving."

The hundreds of visiting foreigners to the international congress of the chambers of commerce may have wondered just who the decorations and general jubilation on the first day of their convention were intended for. Simultaneously with the opening of festivities in their behalf there ar-

rived in the Hub the victorious Red Sox team, whereupon ensued a grand parade and jollification, with band playing, pennants flying and two-thirds of the male population of the city cheering itself black in the face. It may have served as a commentary, also, on the traditional quiet, dignified, conservative Puritanism of the old Massachusetts capital for which doubtless most of the visiting delegates from other countries came prepared. Just to show that the Hub can do things in a hurry, the frequenters of Copley Square witnessed the erection of a large and substantial grandstand in semi-circular form, the assembling of the chambers of commerce delegates for the purpose of having their photographs taken en masse, and the subsequent demolition of the grand stand and clearing of the street—all in the space of about three hours. The Hub is getting to be quite a lively burg.

Boston people are still waiting with interest the tryout of the much discussed "articulated" or "jointed" car which has been designed by John Lindall, superintendent of rolling stock and shops of the Boston Elevated Railway Company. In a period of rapid development of new types of transit cars it is interesting to note that Boston is still in the forefront of experimentation which looks toward greater comfort of travelling and greater economy of operation. In this city were evolved some of the earliest improvements of the little "buggy box" horse cars which began to supplant the omnibuses in 1856. Here J. E. Rugg, now one of the veterans among the Elevated Company's officers, invented the cradle seat which made the open car possible. When elevated service was established in 1901 the public found that, among other improvements over the elevated cars in use in other cities each car had a centre door which assisted greatly in loading and unloading quickly. A little later these doors began to be pneumatically operated. When the Cambridge Subway was about to be opened new cars 70 feet long were specially designed, representing the highest efficiency and convenience known to rapid transit. Now the public is watching the trial of the articulated car, plying between Cambridge and Roxbury, a vehicle which by virtue of its three jointed compartments is able successfully to turn the sharp

corners for which Boston is famous. The distribution of weight is also such that the articulated car can safely cross bridges which could not admit the long prepayment cars now largely used in Boston. The new vehicle is entered by a centre door at whose platformed. From the centre compartment the passengers turn to right or left. Meantime, New York and Pittsburgh are simultaneously experimenting with low floor, double deck cars, representing a type which was formerly supposed to be inapplicable to American conditions. Several foreign towns are getting a line on the operation of self propelled cars, which may be of use as auxiliaries to regular service. It is an era in which the traction specialists are getting further and further away from the horse car type of quarter of a century ago. Every change, fortunately, that is adopted by the leading traction companies appears to be a genuine improvement, as New England people visiting Boston are continually made aware.

ETHEL SCHER.

GOVERNMENT READY TO
AID IN MOVING CROPS

Treasury Department Keeping Close Watch in Order to Remedy Any Shortage in Money.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 26.—Treasury officials are closely watching the money situation in New York, where call money yesterday rose to 7 per cent. While they have figured on a plan for depositing Treasury funds with national banks to move the crops and meet the emergency, no action will be taken until next week at least. Assistant Secretary Bailey is in New Hampshire conferring with Secretary MacVeagh. It is likely that a decision on the question of making the deposits will not be announced until after his return about next Tuesday.

ELECTRIC MEN GET INCREASE.

Announcement was made Wednesday of an increase in the pay of conductors and motormen of the Dover, Somersworth & Rochester Street Railway, of one cent an hour, the advance becoming effective October 1. This road is a subsidiary of the Massachusetts Northern Street Railway Company, which has granted similar increases on its various lines, and the employees have for some time been expecting an advance. Under the new schedule the pay will range from 21 cents an hour for men employed one year to 28 cents for those employed 10 years or more.

STANDARD OIL
COUNSEL GOT FRESH

NEW YORK, Sept. 26.—Resenting the "objectionable conduct" of Robert W. Stewart, counsel for the Standard Oil Company, in the Waters-Pierce-Standard Oil litigation, Commissioner Jacobs today ordered his withdrawal from the case. The order was granted at the request of Samuel Undermyer, counsel for the Waters-Pierce Oil Company, after Mr. Stewart had directed R. C. Velt, secretary of the Standard Oil Company of New York, the first witness today, not to answer a certain question and not to "be afraid of Mr. Undermyer."

"If Mr. Stewart cannot behave himself," said Mr. Undermyer angrily, "I will ask that he be not allowed to appear as counsel, as he is party to this suit. We will have no bullying."

Mr. Stewart retorted that Mr. Undermyer's conduct throughout the case had been inexcusable and marked by "brow-beating and bullying." He added that the commissioner was unwilling to make any ruling not satisfactory to Mr. Undermyer.

"Your manner toward the Court has been so objectionable," said the commissioner, "that I resent it. You have failed to conduct yourself as counsel should so I rule that you shall withdraw from the case."

"If that means from the room," replied Mr. Stewart defiantly, "you will have to eject me by force."

Mr. Stewart and his associate nevertheless withdrew from the room for a conference and it was finally decided that the hearing should be adjourned until next Thursday, when D. N. Kirby, chief counsel of the Standard Oil Company in the case, is due here from St. Louis. This agreement was reached with the understanding that Mr. Stewart should take no further part in the proceedings.

HURRICANE SWEEPS JAPAN

Enormous Damage to Shipping, Especially on the South Coast.

TOKIO, Sept. 26.—A hurricane swept over Japan on the night of Sept. 22. There was much loss of life and heavy damage to property and shipping. All communications are badly interrupted. A torpedo boat and the destroyers Tachibana and Fubuki were sunk in Ise Bay. Tokio has been almost completely isolated since Sept. 22, owing to the widespread devastation by the typhoon, which carried down all the telegraph lines. Even yet details are meagre. The most disastrous effects of the storm were felt along the south coast. At Yokohama the French armored cruiser Duplex dragged her anchors and went ashore. She was pulled off, however, the following day. At Shimonoseki, Island of Honshu, a Russian mail boat foundered. The casualties are unknown. The losses to shipping have been very serious. The Japanese battleship Satsuma and the tender Manshu were damaged. Four destroyers and five torpedo boats were driven ashore. There was a heavy loss of life at Nagoya, capital of the Prefecture of Aichi, Island of Honshu, where a school and other buildings collapsed.

CHURCHILL FOR GOVERNOR

The Novelist Accepts the Bull Moose Nomination in New Hampshire—Johnson to Address Convention. CONCORD, Sept. 26.—Governor Hiram W. Johnson, the Progressive vice presidential candidate, will address a State convention of the Progressives in this city today which was called for the purpose of adopting a platform and naming a State Committee. The Progressive candidate for governor is nominated by petition, under the State laws.

The convention was called to order shortly before noon by State Auditor Frank A. Musgrave of Hanover. Governor Dana, who was chosen permanent chairman, outlined the purpose

CUBA ON VERGE
OF BANKRUPTCY

WASHINGTON, N. Sept. 26.—Cuba is on the verge of bankruptcy, with a practically empty treasury, according to information here. Yesterday the monthly payment of \$400,000 on the Havana sewer and paving contract was made. This was about a month overdue. The United States Legation has notified the government that these payments must be made promptly hereafter, and as the last payment emptied the treasury a crisis is imminent.

Graft among government officials and the maintenance of a long list of political henchmen has ruined the treasury, it is said. The United States will insist the political payroll be reduced, it is thought.

of the Progressive party. The committee on resolutions reported a long declaration of principles, which was adopted by the convention. Mr. Churchill was nominated for governor with the unanimous endorsement of the convention. Mr. Churchill accepted the nomination in a brief speech.

ODD FELLOWS TO GO TO DOVER

To Attend a Meeting at Which Grand Sire Will be Present.

Grand Lodge, No. 48, I. O. O. F. of this city had Riverside Lodge, No. 72, of Kittery have chartered a special train to go to Dover, Thursday evening, Oct. 10th. The first degree will be conferred on candidates by the Dover Lodge. The Grand Sire C. A. Kellar of San Antonio, Texas, will be present as a special guest. The Veterans Drum Corps will accompany the Odd Fellows and it is expected that about 250 members of the order will go from this city and Kittery.

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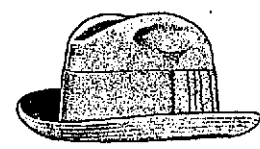
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The Local "Third-Termers."

A quartette of former republicans and democrats have organized a Roosevelt Third Term Party in this city and a few well meaning citizens have (from the appearance of some of their names in print) joined this movement.

No one disputes their right to do as they please, but The Herald believes that they have not given sufficient weight to the matter. If the republicans give it any thought they can see the reason the democrats are interested in the movement. They know it means a vote for the democrats. How any other construction can be placed upon this move is not clear to any sane person. It is, of course, not possible to do anything but reduce the republican vote. The only courageous thing for the Third Termers to do is to vote the democratic ticket if their plan is to defeat republicans.

The only effect of the incoming of a new party will be a division of the republicans and a consequent weakness which will, perhaps, lead to defeat. A republican might as well vote the democratic ticket as to vote for what is deceitfully termed the "Progressive" party. In the coming local election that party can accomplish absolutely nothing. Its work will be to defeat republicanism and uphold its opponents. If you wish for a democrat, why, vote for him. If you wish for a republican, vote for him. Do not throw away your valuable franchise by voting for someone who has no chance of election. And do not do an act treacherous to your own party by casting an opposition vote while you pretend to be a republican. Be a man and vote for either party that stands some chance of success, but do not vote a mongrel ticket, and give yourself away by voting one way and meaning quite another. This matter particularly concerns the election of state senators and representatives, and for every state and national officer.

Helping the Teachers to Teach.

One of the most serious difficulties of contemporary life is keeping means and ends in their right relations. Instruments have a way of becoming goals, and agents turn out to be rulers, if vigilance is not shown. Man devises machinery to produce certain results. If he is not careful, his mechanism becomes a Frankenstein and the results go awry. Communities invest large sums steadily in elaborate and highly equipped common school "plants"; they set over them generously paid principals; and the latter endeavor to justify their selection by building up an effective staff of subordinates, a close-meshed curriculum, and a time-schedule that allows no minute of the day to be unused by teaching corps or by pupils. In the effort to ascertain every possible immediate result measured in terms of efficiency a highly articulated system of reports is devised, covering each pupil's case, and the stream of documents begins to pour in for analysis.

What happens? In due time the teaching force is converted into a clerical staff. Complete pedagogical data and perfect administrative records loom larger than effective personal contact of principal, teachers and pupils. Time that should be spent in instruction is spent in report-making. Persons chosen to be teachers are transformed into clerks. Pupils that are sent to school to be inspired are conceived of as subjects for analysis.

This is not fiction. It describes a state of affairs that exists in famous universities as well as in high and grammar schools. Attention is concentrated upon the matter now because of the colossal demand of principals and minor administrators in the findings of a special committee reporting on the amount of clerical-public schools of New York city. There, as elsewhere, unprecedented growth of the school population accounts for imposition of duties that do not go with normal conditions of teaching youth. But whatever the excuse given it is not valid, viewing education in the light of the ideal. Communities are under obligation to provide adequate clerical staffs for service that is statistical and purely administrative. Teachers should be left free to teach and supervisors to supervise.—Christian Science Monitor.

The Atlanta Constitution: Col. the nation that, whatever the emergency, once received a prize as money, it is prepared.

The Philadelphia Ledger says the America, and will hold its sessions in great naval review ever held in Washington. The world's health is this country occurs at a time when hardly less important than the war assumed obligations at Panama world's commerce and this will practice it more necessary than ever for them to be a convention of experts, us to have in nearby waters aqua representing the latest and largest ship on both seaboard than can be advanced in medical science in thirty quickly mobilized in time of need, three of the leading countries. It is a review is not a belligerent demonstration alone in the public lectures and exhibition. It is merely the assurance discussions that the value of such of our navy to the President and to the people is found. They have their

Chief Figures In Ettor-Giovanitti Murder Trial Growing Out of Killing In Lawrence Strike Riot.



ETTOR. HAYWOOD. GIOVANITTI.
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After they had been held in jail without bail for several months the trial of Joseph J. Ettor and Arthur Giovanitti, the I. W. W. leaders, was set for Monday, Sept. 30, at Salem, Mass. They were indicted as being accessories in the murder of Anna Lopizzo in the Lawrence strike. William D. Haywood, head of the I. W. W., threatened to call a national strike as a protest against the trial.

largest fruitage, perhaps, in the private interchanges of experience between men of professional enthusiasm, in the comparison of methods and in the analysis of theories by means of the best even of hypothetical minds to which they have been freshly presented.

The New York Tribune remarks that even Kansas is beginning to doubt the propriety of running progressive candidates for election on a republican ticket. The progressives in that state have appropriated the republican column on the official ballot and have successfully resisted dislodging by the state and federal courts. But they are getting a little ashamed of their completed burglary and now, exhibiting a remorseful willingness to give back the stolen goods.

Bird's Eye Views.

Cuba talks about \$11,000,000 with as much offhand grace as if it were a candidate discussing a campaign fund.

Mexico's idea of a successful war depends on the number of battles a day that can be announced.

Dr. Wiley cannot refrain from dropping an occasional remark which indicates that our greatest living President is not the only man who cherishes recollection of the corking old days in Washington.

Col. Roosevelt may have some data to justify his assumption that he will be stronger in 1916 than he is in 1912. But the history of new parties does not generally work out that way.

Suggestion is offered that District Attorney Whitman is seeking notoriety. A man under suspicion of a serious offense always has an aversion to notoriety in any form.

If a man doesn't take his money home he spends it; and if he doesn't take home his family spends it. It's bound to be spent one way or the other.

If the doctors would only give hay fever a high-sounding name they might make double the money out of it they do now. But hay fever is very common and confounded.

The English have discovered that the reason they were defeated in the Olympic games was because of lack of money, and we have been innocently supposing that it was because the Americans were better athletes.

Argentine beef might perhaps be imported a little cheaper under free trade. But if the only taste the workman gets of beef is in soup at the free soup houses, such as had to be opened in the Cleveland administration, he does not really save much.

Col. Roosevelt says that he would the inauguration of the so-called

progressive movement? The south has no electoral votes for Mr. Roosevelt, and he is expected to none. This tour of his is for "psychological effect." He will point to the crowds turning out to hear him, and claim that they mean a new order of things in the south as elsewhere under his leadership, his object being to hearten his followers north, east and west, and by increasing their numbers in those sections make sure of Mr. Taft's defeat. The south is safely for Wilson, and nobody is better aware of the fact than Mr. Roosevelt.—Washington Star.

Sacrifice.

He is a man of mighty nerve. A highly patriotic elf. Resolved his native land to serve and do a little for himself; And yet he crowd conglomerate. What marvel at his bold device. Alas, do not appreciate. The fullness of his sacrifice.

All smiling, in the public eye. No trace of fear does he disclose. And yet he often heaves a sigh. When homeward from his toll he goes.

Think of the way his head must feel. What pains must haunt his wrists of steel. When he gets through with shaking hands.

—Washington Star.

BIG FEATURE ACT AT MUSIC HALL

"The Mysterious Maids," who came here direct from Keith's Theatre, Boston, have certainly got the people of Portsmouth guessing. That these young women who are the feature of the Portsmouth Theatre, are too fair of countenance to be in the line of vaudeville, and their physical beauty does not consist merely of handsome faces. They are exponents of physical culture, and their perfection of figure appears to be the result of some of the poses during their appearance on the stage. The young women sing attractively, some exceptional songs, contralto and soprano, harmonizing splendidly. There are a number of pretty costumes worn and some mechanical effects that add to the charm. The "Mysterious Maids" close the act all too soon for the delighted audience.

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Tax commissioners May Order Such in Pittsburg and Clarksville

CONCORD, N. H., Sept. 26.—Important developments came today in the hearing before the State tax commission when Col. S. S. Jewett of Laconia, counsel for the Boston & Maine railroad, introduced the deposition of John T. Amey, a member of the commission, in which he testified as to the value of the timber in the Androscoggin valley in the towns of Pittsburg and Clarksville. It is in these two towns especially that the railroad contends that the assessed valuation for purposes of taxation is far below the real value of the property.

The deposition was taken by Hon. John M. Mitchell, now a justice of the Superior court, for use in the railroad tax appeals from the assessment of railroad taxes in 1909 and 1910. Mr. Amey testified at that time that he had made a thorough examination of this territory and found that there was 533,000,000 feet of timber in that valley within the limit of the two towns mentioned. He placed a valuation of \$8 per thousand on this stumpage, or a total of \$4,264,000.

This estimate was made by Mr. Amey at the time the Connecticut Valley Lumber Co., which is the owner of all this stumpage, was attempting to float its bonds and was the valuation which Mr. Amey submitted to the officers of that company. George A. Venzie, a timber expert in the employ of the railroad, William I. Richardson, and William A. Abbott, who are associated with Mr. Venzie in this work, has estimated this same timber at less than three million dollars. The railroad has introduced this deposition to show that the estimates of its expert in this matter has been conservative.

Mr. Amey's exact language in his report to the officers of the Connecticut Valley Lumber Co. was as follows: "Figuring the Androscoggin cut at as low a value as \$8 per thousand feet stumpage, its land is worth approximately \$4,264,000."

A local paper prints the rumor that the tax commission is likely to order a reassessment of the property in the towns of Pittsburg and Clarksville as a result of the disclosures already made before the commission. The Connecticut Valley Lumber Co. owns

practically all the wild land in both of these towns. Last April the tax commission notified the selectmen of Pittsburg that it appeared to them that the real estate in that town was taxed the previous year on a basis of 31 per cent. of its real valuation. The figures submitted by the commission for Clarksville on a similar comparison was 56 per cent. The commission were of the opinion that this assessment was too low and suggested that the selectmen make an increase in the valuation.

The Pittsburg selectmen met and two of the members agreed the assessment should be raised 20 per cent. over the valuation of the previous year. One member wanted to add 25 per cent.; the majority prevailed and the 20 per cent. increase was decided upon. The selectmen say that John T. Amey, a member of the commission, presently appeared and told the selectmen they had not made the rate high enough and instructed them to make a further increase of 25 per cent. which brings the total assessed valuation up to 46 per cent. of the real value, computed upon the basis of the tax commission's findings as communicated on April 1 to the selectmen.

The only witness of the morning was George A. Venzie, a lumber man of Littleton, who made an examination of property values in the towns of Pittsburg and Clarksville, spending 90 days there last year and four weeks the present year.

He testified that according to his estimate the stumpage in Pittsburg is worth \$4,594,200; in Clarksville \$731,800.

According to his valuation the land and farms in Pittsburg were valued at \$5,538,966, and in Clarksville \$969,011. The valuation of the town of Pittsburg for the purposes of taxation was \$1,683,748, or 30.2 per cent., and in Clarksville \$352,424, or 36.4 per cent.

On cross-examination, Mr. Venzie said that his estimate of the timber land in both towns was conservative and that he would be willing to purchase at the value he had fixed.

This afternoon Mr. Venzie was cross-examined by counsel for the state and for the Connecticut Valley Lumber Co. Later the railroad put William I.

Richardson, William A. Abbott, Frank N. Hancock, D. T. Wentworth, William Hamlin, A. C. Wright, all familiar with timber conditions in the north country and who have assisted Mr. Venzie in making his examination, upon the stand. These witnesses agreed with the testimony of Mr. Venzie as to the valuation of the timberlands in that section of the state.

Late this afternoon the Connecticut Valley Lumber Co., through its counsel, former Attorney-General Edwin G. Eastman, began the introduction of testimony. The hearing closed for the day before any important testimony had been produced.

PERSONAL ITEMS

L. H. Tirrell of Lawrence, Mass., was a visitor here on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. George P. Slade of Providence, R. I., are visiting in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar D. Stoddard of Manchester were visitors here today.

Captain James B. Kez of the White the White Island Light was a visitor here today.

Mr. and Mrs. Hazen S. Cotton have returned from a two weeks' visit with relatives at Ashland, N. H.

Samuel K. Batchelder who has been seriously ill here today and was warmly greeted by his many friends.

G. N. A. Hoban of Gardner, Mass., a former classmate at Dartmouth of City Clerk Gay E. Corey, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Corey.

Supt. J. S. Whitaker of the Rockingham Light & Power Co. is attending a meeting of the New Hampshire Branch of Electrical Engineers in Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Crockett, Mrs. J. E. Crockett and Mrs. K. T. Miller of South Naples, Me., formed an auto party that visited this city on Thursday.

Assistant Superintendent Hammer of the Rockingham Light and Power Company leaves on Saturday with his wife for a ten days visit at Norfolk, Mass.

At the annual meeting of the New Hampshire State Firemen's association held in Lebanon on Wednesday John D. Randall of this city was re-elected treasurer of the association.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Merrick of Bangor, P. Q., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Harvey of Boyd road. Mr. Merrick, who was formerly proprietor of Hotel Merrick, is receiving a hearty greeting from his many friends.

KITTERY POINT.

Ralph Baker and Cushman Phillips have taken positions with the American Express Co. at the North station in Boston.

Ray Fuller has concluded his duties at Marshall's saw mill in Stratham, N. H., and taken a position in Portland.

Mrs. William Symonds is visiting her brother, John S. Safford, in New York. Miss Annie Safford of Boston is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Safford.

Miss Grace Keene of Ogunquit passed Wednesday with her sister, Miss Hertha Keene.

Clark Wyman is painting the new house of George A. Kimball.

The Good Luck Whist Club was pleasantly entertained on Wednesday afternoon by Mrs. Luther Lewis. Prizes were awarded as follows: First, Mrs. George Gunnison; 2d, Mrs. Ernest Tohey; 3d, Miss Virgie Skinner; 4th, Miss Lizzie Grinly.

The Parkfield Hotel floating stage has been hauled up for the season.

Mrs. Mary A. Wyman is confined by illness at the home of her sister in Elliot.

T. Byron Phillips has resumed his duties at the navy yard after a vacation.

Religious service will be held at the First Christian church on Sunday evening.

Sailed, Schrs. "John Paul," Swan's Island, Me., for New York. George Blaisdell attended the Rochester fair on Wednesday.

Mrs. Ray Witham and son have returned from a visit to relatives in New Brunswick.

Clark Wyman was a visitor in East Elliot on Wednesday.

Henry Blake has sold his house to Curtis Chick of North Kittery.

Mrs. Charles Mills, Jr., was operated upon for appendicitis at the Portsmouth hospital on Wednesday.

Capt. Walter Ames visited the Rochester fair on Wednesday.

Miss Edith Churchill will soon enter the Institute at Springvale, Me.

Miss Nellie Sevey of Somerville, Mass., has returned to her home after visiting Mrs. Katharine Bray.

Rev. Winfred Coffin will occupy the pulpit of the First Christian church on Sunday at 2 p. m., taking her text from 1st Kings, 3:27, "She is the mother thereof." Subject, "Proof of Love."

On Tuesday evening, Oct. 1, there will be held a Christian Endeavor rally at the First Christian church. All Christian Endeavorers and members of the Epworth League in this locality are especially invited to attend, as well as all others interested. Miss Margaret Coke of the Bible school in Spencer, Mass., will speak, and special music has been prepared.

The Herald Hears

That there being no back to the new fall hat for men it is a decided advantage to those who are trying to go in several directions at one and the same time.

That some of the civil employes of the navy yard have been upon the paid lately.

That the city employee with his red shirt in the ranks of the veteran firemen on Thursday certainly threw out his chest when his brother landed him that bouquet.

That somebody certainly was good to a resident on Broad street while he was away on his vacation recently.

That he never knew that he could have such a nice race track on his grounds.

That the track was completed even to the judges stand, starting wire and a grand stand.

That he appreciates the interest taken in converting his yard to a course for race horses, but believes some of his neighbors should have steady employment on the playground.

That Portsmouth has the cream for football fire alarms.

That the regular veteran firemen of this city say that Captain Muchmore has been throwing out the raw stuff long enough.

That he could not scrape up a lead twenty five cent piece among the Glimpses for a race with the Europa boys.

That the old Piscataqua has furnished some mysteries the past two months.

That the matter of enlisting men or ten days in the navy for a cruise near Philadelphia is a new stunt for "Jule Sam."

That the Wentworth Hospital has to see its first male patient.

That tax collector Page has his feet well cleared up.

That the selectmen and tax assessors of the town of New Castle are doing business at the same old stand.

That the State Board of Commissioners has not caused them to lose any great amount of sleep.

That the winter arrangement of trains on the Boston and Maine railroad as far as Portsmouth is concerned will run about the same as last year.

That the change in the schedule comes on Monday next.

That the skating on the upper end of the South Pond will be missed this winter if the proposed improvements are carried out.

That next Saturday afternoon is the last half holiday for the navy and employes.

That Portsmouth Sunset League is getting better every year.

That the new up to date tenements along up on Hanover street will add a good addition to the dwellings in this city.

That there is eight miles of old gas and wires of the Telepost that will be taken down in the city limits.

That some of the lines of this country, especially those entering and leaving this city have not been required for over twenty years.

That Judge John M. Mitchell may be the presiding justice at the October term of superior court in this city.

That the quiet spell at the navy as greeted by Secy. Meyer Oct. 1, and it should not come.

That this plan should be nipped in the bud.

That Mayor Badger is more than anxious to get the playground improvement started.

That the Mayor cannot start it to go to suit the children.

That Kittery is talking of organizing a brass band for the coming campaign.

That the little town across the river certainly had plenty of good adepts at one time.

That the Rye band did not have a ding on them while they were with Elliot.

That the best vaudeville on the circuit is seen at Music Hall.

That the Progressive party may attempt to run a candidate for mayor at the next municipal election.

That democrats and the republicans are beginning to look around for a long leader to head their party.

That the steel that done his feed on the grass mounds of Clinton park and other streets in that section of the city by night is no more.

That the neighbors will now enjoy peaceful slumbers since Plow Boy died.

That he was to pass to a new owner at Greenwald last Sunday morning.

That the Greenwald man is in just \$5 in not taking the horse on Saturday.

That when he arrived on Sunday to lose the deal, Plow Boy was ready to plant.

That had he been caught for eighty years there would likely have been something doing in the neighborhood.

That the friends of Mabel Hatter surprised to learn that she has altered the political arena.

That players Kincaid, Hughes and borders of Dover evidently got in bad with Dover fans by playing in this city the past summer.

That Dover can take it as she likes these boys gave Portsmouth fans one of the best baseball that has ever been seen on the local diamond in many years.

That they always played hard in very game and never at any time

Who Said Corns?

I Use "GETS IT!"

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"GETS-IT" never irritates or turns the true flesh raw. It is safe as water. But pay, how it does get after corns, blisters, callouses and warts. It works painlessly, but it shivers 'em off till they drop off, leaving the corn, healthy flesh underneath.

"GETS-IT" is guaranteed to give satisfaction, or your money is refunded.

All druggists sell "GETS-IT" at 25 cents a bottle, or it will be sent on receipt of price by B. Lawrence & Co., Chicago. Sold in Portsmouth by Tilton Drug Co., G. E. Philbrick, Boardman & Norton F. G. Coleman.

were they out of the class of young gentlemen.

That there is not a fun in this city who does not hope to see these players in the games on the playground here next season.

That the head fishermen who have just returned from the trip at Sagadahoc Pond deny the story that they landed a fresh water whale.

That the concession from the guns of the forts in the harbor during the recent target practice took quite a lot of state off the roof of the neighboring government buildings.

That the telephone at the Premier Science certainly comes in handy more ways than one.

That a young woman who had left the baby of the family with her father while she attended the moving pictures says that the telephone spoiled one good evening of her life.

That it took all the evening to instruct the old man what to do for the baby over the wire who had started on a howling expedition.

That the next time she goes out there will be no telephone handy for Papa.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

Funeral services of Mrs. Nellie C. Palmer will be held at the home on 31 Vernon street Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock.



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CITY COUNCIL HOLD MONTHLY MEETING

Very Little Other Than Routine Business Considered.

The monthly meeting of the Mayor referred to the city solicitor, and Council was held on Thursday. A communication was received from the city solicitor, John W. Kelley, Esq., protesting routine business to take the attention against the discontinuance of the one of the council, who did not get down to business until 8.45.

An invitation from the Twentieth Century Irrigation Congress to attend the convention was received and accepted.

Mrs. Amanda Pickering, through her counsel, John A. Mitchell, called the Council's attention to the grading of Hill street which had damaged her property she thought \$50. It was

specifically of connect with sewers.

Annie Harvey was granted permission to encumber Beverly Hill and

The New England Telephone Co. was granted a location on Marcy

street and the Rockingham Light & Power Co., on South, Lowell, Cass,

Union streets and Sagamore avenue.

Justus F. Adams, who has built a house on Gates street, petitioned the Council for a sewer, stating that he would pay half the cost of a sewer

from the corner of Gates and Washington street to his house, and his petition was granted. The sewer will cost \$75 and the auditor was ordered to transfer \$37.50 from contingent to the sewer fund.

George Tomlinson petitioned for license to maintain a five horse power steam engine and boiler on Marcy street. Granted.

A petition of William Warburton and others for a lay out of a highway from Dearborn place to Sparhawk street was received and the Council will view the location.

Captain Weatherbee of the Salvation Army called the attention of the Council to the fact that the furnace in the Peabody building was unfit for use and a new one was required. Mr. John K. Bates appeared for the Army and offered to raise half if the city would put in a furnace, the Army paying half. It was voted to remit six months rent.

A resolution by Councilman Rand transferred the sum of \$1685 which was the sum in excess of the County Tax appropriation to the South Pond Improvement, and this will leave \$3305 to be raised by loan.

Councilman Rand offered a resolution, providing for a steam heating plant for city hall, as the old one was in bad shape and bids will be asked for.

A resolution by Councilman Holmes was passed to install a cluster of four lights over the drinking fountain on the Parade.

Councilman Rand asked that the Board of Public Works get an estimate of running the water line from Sagamore avenue to the Sagamore hospital on Jones avenue.

W. H. Tucker through his attorney, Ralph Gray, claimed damages of \$2000 for personal injuries received from stepping on a culvert at the foot of State street. Referred to the city solicitor.

The Inspector of Poles and Wires called attention to the dangerous condition of the line formerly held by the Telephone Co., and the solicitor was instructed to notify the company that they must be repaired or the city would remove them.

There was one bid for the land on Union street. Frank Pike bid \$350 for the front lot and \$100 for the lot in the rear, and his bid was accepted.

The auditor's report was read and accepted.

Adjourned for one month.

KATE IS RICH NOW.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 26—Mrs. Kate Coombs, an 80-year-old employee of the bureau of engraving and printing, will soon present to the auditor for the treasury department \$60 government vouchers for \$10 each and will demand payment for them.

For 50 years Mrs. Coombs has been employed at \$10 a month to mend the sheets with which machines of the bureau are covered when not in use. Each month she has received a voucher for \$10, but has never presented one for payment, hoarding all in an old trunk.

Who does dry cleansing best? Frank Cole 31 Congress street, over Lacey's cigar store.

PAPE'S DIAPEPSIN REGULATES STOMACH

Time It! In Five Minutes Gas, Sickness and Indigestion is Gone

To some foods you eat hit back—some good, but work badly; ferment into stubborn lumps and cause a sick, sour, gassy stomach? Now, Mr. or Mrs. Dyspeptic get this down: Pape's Diapepsin digests everything, leaving nothing to sour and upset you. There never was anything so safely quick, certainly effective. No difference now what your stomach is disordered you will get happy relief in five minutes, at what pleases you most is that it strengthens and regulates your stomach so you can eat your favorite foods without fear.

Most remedies give you relief sometimes—they are slow, but not sure. Diapepsin is quick, positive and acts your stomach in a healthy condition so the misery won't come back.

You feel different as soon as Diapepsin comes in contact with the stomach—distress just vanishes—your stomach gets sweet, no gases, no belching, no eructations of undigested food, your head clears and you feel fine.

So now, make the best investment ever made by getting a large quantity of Pape's Diapepsin from any drug store. You realize in five minutes how needless it is to suffer from indigestion, dyspepsia or any stomach disorder.

No matter what ails your child, a gentle, thorough laxative physic should always be the first treatment given.

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AT THE NAVY YARD

Takes Lot of Metal.

Eighty thousand pounds of bronze is en route to the Bremerton yard and immediately upon its arrival preparations will be made to cast the propellers of the South Dakota.

Nashville Will be There.

The annual celebration at Yorktown in commemoration of Lord Cornwallis's surrender to General Washington October 19, 1871, and the independence of the United States of America, will be celebrated October 19. The War department has assigned four companies of coast artillery and a band for the occasion; the navy will also be represented and one of the Presidential nominees will speak. Yorktown hotel reopened this spring will accommodate guests for the occasion.

Changes Among Officers.

Capt. C. C. Marsh, detached command of the Ohio, October 3, 1912 to special duty navy department.

Capt. Joseph Strauss, detached navy department October 2, 1912 to command the Ohio.

Ensign W. A. Shaw detached the Georgia, to temporary duty the Hartford.

Ensign J. P. Dalton detached the Arkansas to temporary duty the Hartford.

Ensign P. V. H. Veems, detached the North Dakota, to temporary duty the Hartford.

Boatswain J. T. O'Brien, detached naval training station, Newport, R. I., the Fish Hawk.

Gunner Maxwell Case, detached the Kansas, home, wait orders.

Chief Gunner Leonard Holl, detached naval torpedo station, Newport, R. I., October 14, 1912 to the Kansas.

Chief Gunner E. W. Farey, detached navy yard, Washington, D. C., October 3, 1912, to the Kansas.

Machinist T. G. Haines detached the Georgia continue naval hospital Boston.

Machinist A. V. Kettles, detached navy yard Boston, Mass., October 1, 1912, to the Georgia.

Capt. Hill on Leave.

Chief Boatswain William L. Hill commanding the U S S Southey and Topeka is enjoying a furlough at Washington and Atlantic City.

Better Pay at Washington.

Information from Washington, D. C., where the wage board is already considering the scale of wages to be paid at the Washington navy yard next year, is to the effect that special attention will be paid to the petition of employees to Congress for an increase of pay based on the higher cost of living. If this subject has any effect on the wage paid at Washington, it will probably be considered in fixing the wages at all yards.

Nineteen Ships at Puget Sound.

Nineteen vessels including those of the Pacific reserve fleet, receiving ship, prison ship, etc., are now stationed at Bremerton. They are the battleship Oregon, the cruisers Pittsburgh, topeka, the Pennsylvania, Colorado, St. Louis, Milwaukee, West Virginia, Galveston, New Orleans, Chattanooga, Raleigh, Supply and Cleveland, the torpedo boat Fox and Davis, the submarines A3 and A5, the receiving ship Philadelphia and the prison ship Nipsic.

The following will be the make up of the vessels to take part in the New York review:

21 battleships.

4 armored cruisers.

4 cruisers.

20 special type.

6 naval militia vessels.

8 fuel ships.

24 destroyers.

10 torpedo boats.

10 submarines.

Steps are now being taken for the introduction into the navy of the new system of physical exercises which has been developed at Annapolis. Under the direction of Surg. J. A. Murphy, U S N, a new scheme has been devised which it is thought will do much to improve the physical condition of the navy personnel. It replaces largely of the Swedish system, but with radical differences. It is not a violent exercise but a scientific one which develops many unused muscles, not a single muscle escaping attention. It is proposed to introduce it into the navy gradually through the training stations, Surgeon Murphy beginning the work at Narragansett, to which point he has been detailed.

A large number of yard and ship officers are taking the ten mile walk as prescribed by the department.

Had Tuberculosis of Glands; Now Well

If you are a sufferer from Glandular Tuberculosis, or know of anyone so afflicted, it might be well to investigate this case, where the writer declared after a year of suffering he found permanent relief and full recovery of health by using Eckman's Alternative, a medicine which has been effective in many cases of Tuberculosis.

257 Laruston st., Phila., Pa.

"Gentlemen:—In March, 1909, I was taken sick and my doctor pronounced my case 'Tuberculosis in the glands.' Medical treatment did not help me, and on my doctor's advice, I went to a hospital to be operated upon, but relief was only temporary. I lost strength and at times would have cold sweats and fever. In April, 1910, I returned to the hospital but the continued operations were not benefiting me.

In the meantime a friend of mine advised Eckman's Alternative, saying it was good for Tuberculosis. The wounds in my neck were still open and in a frightful condition when I started to take it. After using two bottles, I found I was improving, having gained weight, could eat and was able to sleep. I continued using it until I was well, which was in November, 1910. Before I took the medicine I had three hemorrhages; since I have been taking it, I have not had any. On November 11, 1910, I started to work, and since that time I have not lost one day's work through sickness. I can highly recommend Eckman's Alternative to anyone who is suffering from Tuberculosis or Gland trouble, providing they take it as directed. I will gladly correspond with any party desiring further information of what the medicine did for me."

(Sworn affidavit) Joseph B. White.

Eckman's Alternative is effective in tuberculosis, asthma, hay fever, chronic and lung troubles and in rebuilding the system. Does not contain poisons, opiates or habit-forming drugs. For sale by Benjamin Green and other leading druggists. Ask for booklet telling of recoveries and write to Eckman Laboratory Philadelphia, Pa., for additional evidence.

FOOTBALL SATURDAY.

Maplewoods Will Play Sanborn Seminary Eleven.

Football opens with a rush Saturday, the high school will have their first game of the season at Dover, and the Maplewood A. C. will play the Sanborn Seminary team, of Kingston at the play grounds. Many of the old high school players will be seen in the Maplewood line-up.

The team that will represent Portsmouth is as follows:

Beane re, Corwick rt, McDermott rg, Tanagan c, Badger, Reardon lg, Tucker, Collins lt, Connors le, Pilgrim lb, McCarthy lb, Weaver rh, Sussman fb.

OBITUARY.

Cyrus Fogg.

Died, in North Hampton, Sept. 26, Cyrus Fogg, aged 67 years.

Martha A. Chase.

Died, at the Portsmouth Hospital, Sept. 26, Martha A. Chase, aged 88 years, 5 months.

Rumage sale at the Salvation Army Hall, Tuesday and Wednesday October 1st and 2nd, open 2 o'clock. Anyone having packages for the same please call phone 647 M or leave at the Hall 262 State street.

FOR SALE—Meat and grocery store, 125 Deer street. Apply to Mrs. M. E. Martin. Sickness cause of selling. C&Hif s27

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THOUGHT TOO MUCH OF SHOW

Finicky Action of Wife of English Fireman Duplicated in Our Own Country.

Before a justice, in a small English town of the south coast, there appeared, not long ago, a wife who accused her husband of assault and battery. The man admitted that he had seized her and thrown her down, perhaps roughly, yet not without making sure she would fall upon a soft place. But he had done so, he declared, in defense of his person and his honor. He was a fireman, and she had tried to keep him from going properly attired and equipped to a fire.

The fire company of his village, he explained, was composed chiefly of volunteers, whose uniforms were kept in their homes and kept in repair by their wives, a task that no wife performed more faithfully than his own. In fact, she was too careful of it. When a night alarm was given for a fire in the quarter between the glue factory and the wharves, and he jumped up to dress, she had positively refused to allow him to put it on, declaring that smoke and cinders were bad enough, but when it came to salt and glue and fish-scales as well, it was beyond all reason; his oldest trousers and a pea jacket were plenty good enough. He had remonstrated and she had vituperated.

"But I didn't lay a finger on her, your honor, not till she 'eaved a little at me 'ed when I grabbed for me boots," she protested, "and then it come to me 'twas no less than a public duty to chuck 'er on 'er bed where she couldn't hinder; and what I sees to be my duty, I ups and does. So I 'chucked 'er."

Were ducking still the accepted punishment for vixenish wives, she might have been awarded poetic justice at the muzzle of a hose. As it was, the case ended, amid general laughter, in the discharge of the aggrieved husband, and a reprimand to the too careful wife.

In our own country, and in a community by no means rustic, a little incident but a few days ago proved that it is not only the better halves of firemen who can be too finicky. The fire alarm, responding to a still alarm for a chimney fire, was met by the son of the house, who eagerly snatched an extinguisher, while the firemen were unsealing the hose. But the eagle eye of the chief was upon him.

"Here, here!" he cried, authoritatively. "Don't meddle with that extinguisher, young man. Why, it's only just been polished!"—Youth's Companion.

Chinese Women Want Ballot.
Miss Margaret Chung, a young Chinese woman, is at the head of the movement which proposes to form an organization of American women for the purpose of assisting and encouraging the women of China in making the best use of their newly acquired right to the ballot. She is the secretary of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Chinese-American League of Justice at Los Angeles, Cal., and a member of the Chinese Protective association and of the Chinese Women's Reform club.

"Without the assistance of their Caucasian sisters the Chinese women may never reap the full benefit of the franchise," Miss Chung declared when talking about the proposed organization. "When the new republic of China granted the franchise to women it was the most significant step that could have been taken in the interest of progress. Only a Chinese woman can fully understand what is meant by giving Chinese girls an equal chance with the boys. It heralds the dawn of a golden epoch, more than even the men of China realize. More and better missionary work can be done for China by instructing and encouraging the women in the use of the ballot than in any other way."

Quite Harmless.
"Good gracious!" exclaimed the district visitor. "Do you harbor madmen in this village?" She pointed to the subject of her interest—a little man with very small eyes and large spectacles, who was dodging from house to house like a demented human bee. He approached each door with the trusting smile of childhood. He left with a volley of language such as could only emanate from long and bitter experience.

"Oh, nobody takes no notice of him, miss," answered the old tenant. "He's quite harmless—been so these 20 years."

"Poor fellow," said the district visitor. "And what is the exact nature of his complaint?"

The tenant smiled compassionately as he replied:

"Optimism, ma'am. He calls for the rent every Monday, and actually allows himself to fancy he's going to get it."

Home Run in Boston.
Here is how they describe a home run in Boston:

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Moral Seems to Be Let Children Discover the Truth About Santa Claus for Themselves.

It had been a hard year for the father of the family and the coming of Christmas had something of terror in it for him when he thought of how much less in the way of gifts he could do than he would have liked.

But what hurt worst was that, having had to meet some heavy bills, he found it would be quite impossible to buy the bicycle that he had promised his boy Santa Claus would bring.

He was sorry for the disappointment that he knew the lad would feel and he decided that it would be best not to wait and have the disappointment come on Christmas day. So he went to the lad, a manly little chap, and said:

"Look here, my boy, you are old enough now to understand things. Each Christmas when you received gifts you supposed, and indeed, we told you, they were brought by Santa Claus."

"As a matter of fact, Santa Claus is only a make-believe, a tradition that has come down through the ages to help make the Christmas season brighter and happier and less selfish for children. The truth is that your mother and myself have always been your Santa Claus."

"This year, sonny, things have not been going very well with me and I can't just afford that bicycle that you thought Santa Claus was going to bring you."

"Be a brave little man about it and we'll have a merry Christmas anyway, and maybe early in the year I'll be able to get it for you. But I really can't afford it now. You won't mind very much, will you?"

"Why—no—dad," said the lad, though he had to fight a bit to keep the tears out of his eyes.

"But," he said, thoughtfully, "no Santa Claus! Why, I believed in him. Say, dad, you haven't been fooling me about Jesus, too, have you?"—St. Louis Republic.

Terms in Modern Evolution.
"Yes, it was romance, all right, even if it did turn out badly. It started at one of last spring's picnics. She was plucking white daisies or something with the proper background in perspective. He saw her and muttered: 'Oh, you pretty squab!'"

"Then what?"

"Oh, she overheard it, all right, and in a roundabout way an introduction followed."

"Go on."

"Well, it wasn't many weeks before he had her out under the trees in the moonlight, with a mocking bird accompaniment, asking her: 'Oss duckie is oo?'"

"Next chapter."

"The first week in June he marshaled up sufficient courage to say: 'Say, chicken, let's get married!'"

"I see; short engagement, eh?"

"Yes; wedded bliss not long, either. Along with other indignities alleged in her divorce petition she says he called her a goose. He retaliated by saying no man was expected to stay married with a chattering quinea always around."

"Now what?"

"She got her freedom yesterday. Tonight he's celebrating, declaring he's glad he's rid of the old hen."—St. Louis Republic.

Tennis in Japan.
The Japanese have displayed a peculiar aptitude for lawn tennis. To many Indianapolis players the sight of an expert Japanese on the park courts is not uncommon. Among the best amateur players in the city are Japanese house servants. What they lack in height they more than make up in agility. They seem to be indefatigable. Tennis, like baseball, is steadily growing in popularity in Japan. The former has become a favorite among Japanese high school and college students. Intercollegiate games have also become popular among the students and their friends. Among the well-known institutions that have a large number of enthusiastic tennis players are the following: Tokio Higher Normal school, Tokio Commercial school (higher), Waseda university, Tokio Kyoto university, Kyoto; Third high school, Kyoto. The foreign communities in the various ports, Yokohama, Kobe and Nagasaki, have tennis clubs. The leading foreign club at Yokohama is

Known as the Ladies' Lawn Tennis club. Tennis rackets are already being manufactured in Japan, there being six factories in Tokio alone.

"Black and Blue" Bruises Explained.
The color of blood is due chiefly to iron in the little blood cells. When the iron is kept in these little blood cells, which are living and traveling around in the blood vessels, the color is red. If the skin hard enough to break some of the little blood vessels beneath the surface and the little red cells escape from the injured blood vessels, wander around for a while in the tissues, and die.

When they die the iron that made them red before then changes to black-and-blue coloring. After a while this iron is taken up by the glands called the lymphatics and made over again into nice red cells. The iron is taken up very much more quickly by the lymphatics if the black-and-blue spot is rubbed and massaged.

PRECIOUS PAPERS IN DANGER

Steps Being Taken by the Pope to Insure the Safety of Documents in the Vatican.

Father Ehrle, the well-known historian, who has been prefect of the vatican library since 1895, is shortly to retire from his important post, and Monsignore Ratti, director of the Ambrosian library, of Milan, has been selected to succeed him.

The manuscripts contained in the vatican library number over forty thousand and surpass not only in number but also in value and interest those of all other libraries in the world combined because they have been accumulated since practically the beginning of the Christian era. It will be necessary for Father Ehrle to remain in charge for at least another couple of years in order that he may hand over to his successor these manuscript treasures, which must be identified one by one.

The pope, on the suggestion of the retiring librarian, has availed himself of this detailed examination of manuscripts, which takes place whenever a new prefect is appointed, to reform the methods heretofore adopted for their preservation. The manuscripts are enclosed in low wooden cupboards called "armadi," about five feet high, the doors of which are richly decorated, according to the plan in use for centuries in Rome, which was to combine art galleries and libraries and thus give room to hang pictures on the walls over the books.

While every precaution is taken for the preservation of the manuscripts from moths and dampness this old system of keeping them has its great drawbacks in case of fire, as the cupboards are naturally not fireproof. Father Ehrle suggested to the pope that every cupboard when possible should be converted into a strongbox or safe perfectly fireproof and that two or three large rooms should be specifically built with walls covered with steel plates or other non-inflammable material, to which the manuscripts that can not be kept in cupboards could be removed.

His suggestion has been fully approved by the pope, who still recalls the fire in the vatican, which but for the intervention of the Italian firemen might have had disastrous results, and the necessary arrangements have now been made to have the vatican manuscripts preserved in such a way as to insure their safety and integrity.

Old-Time Market Days.
"Market-day," for ages an institution in England, still exists in certain localities, and may still be studied with interest by the tourist who visits Halifax, Nova Scotia, or Charlotte tower, Prince Edward Island, where large enclosures and roomy market houses are maintained for the benefit of the country people, and such citizens as have established a regular market business. Everything from live stock to a bouquet of flowers may be brought here for sale, the owner being allotted a suitable place and charged a small fee for his accommodation, and while most of the market people are far from being especially rustic in their dress or speech, the variety and sometimes the peculiar importance of their offerings still suggest the important part which the English market and its legal control played in the local and business life of three centuries ago—"Nobility of the Trades." The Farmer, Charles Winnow Hall, in National Magazine.

DREAD DEATH COMING

FEAR DEEPLY IMPLANTED IN THE HEARTS OF ALL.

Some More Effected by Loss of Honor, a Visit to a Dentist, or Bankruptcy, but Few Deliberately End It All.

Probably the first thought of every reasonable man in reading the dreary details of the disaster to the Titanic was: "What would I have done in the same circumstances?" Probably his second bore the hope in all humility that if such circumstances should arise for him he would behave without too much of the awkwardness of panic. Only a fool would haphazardly predict of his conduct in the face of a peril so unexpected and attended by the terrors of midnight and the sea. It is no discredit to the human race to say that cowardice is a gift from the devil which has been impartially distributed among mankind.

Every man who thinks at all is afraid of death. He may be more afraid of something else, or loss of honor, health or money, or going to a dentist, or like the man in Pickwick, of life without buttered muffins, but he chooses death only as a bad alternative for a worse. If he is not afraid of one thing you may be sure he is afraid of another.

A man will go up to the clouds in a balloon who wouldn't go down into twenty feet of water in a submarine. A stepladder may be afraid of dogs and a lion tamer of riding in an elevator. We know a man who has made a great reputation for coolness under fire in battle, who glibly with fear when ever he has the stomach ache. One man fears fire, another burglars, another railway trains, another measles.

Conduct in an emergency depends on many things besides those abstract qualities known as "courage" and "bravery." A man is apt to act calmly when his surroundings, at the time the peril presents itself, are customary and familiar, when his nerves happen to be sound, or when he has time to meditate on his action and weigh carefully its consequences.

Again a man may be persuaded to shame or glory, as the case may be, by the example of his neighbor. One person afflicted by blinding fear may turn a hundred men into a panic stricken mob or he may convert them into a throng of heroes through their very horror of his conduct. And one man who has established his moral equilibrium quickly can instantly convey fortitude to the others. Courage and cowardice both like company.—W. P. Dunne in the American Magazine.

Fruits Ripened by Drug Vapors.
Horticulturists have for some time been experimenting on the effects to be obtained by subjecting plants to the vapor of ether, chloroform and other volatile substances. They have found that the growth of many fruits and flowers can be forced by this method and have obtained particularly striking results with lilacs, which they have thus been able readily to obtain in winter. An American agriculturist has experimented more particularly in the effect of these and other substances on the ripening of fruit. His observations have shown that in the majority of cases the more volatile the substance to which the plant is treated the more rapid is the ripening. In forcing the ripening of dates, for instance, he found that the best results were obtained when he employed acetone, propylene, acetone or allyl acetate. Heat powerfully stimulates the ripening process and one of the peculiarities of fruits thus forced to maturity is that they are generally found to keep better than those which have ripened naturally.

Red Tape in Action.
An American, in visiting the London postoffice, observed that the newspaper box had a large mouth, and, with the curiosity of the average American tourist, he stood gazing into it. Suddenly a bale of newspapers struck him and he fell into the box.

His companions hurried to the counters to rescue him, but owing to the red tape of the English postoffice the clerks disregarded their appeals. The American was in the mail box and would have to be treated as a mail matter. They therefore stamped him and threw him into a compartment containing provincial newspapers.

The unfortunate man's friends thereupon went to the chief, who listened phlegmatically to their story, then asked if their friend was addressed. On being informed that he was not, the chief said:

"The matter is simple. The man will remain for six months in the bureau. At the end of that time, if no one applies for him, he will be burnt as a dead letter."

Pantheon and Parthenon.
The Parthenon, or what is left of it, stands upon the Acropolis of Athens. This most famous building on earth was erected under the administration of Pericles about B. C. 442. Its present ruinous condition was caused by the explosion of a bomb during the war between the Venetians and Turks in 1687. The Parthenon, at Rome, was built by Agrippa in B. C. 27, and, unlike the more beautiful temple at Athens, is still in a fair state of preservation. The Pantheon is, of course, well worth seeing, both for its own sake and on account of its historic interest; but it does not hold the same belonging to the incomparable building on the Athenian Acropolis.

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Leave Boston for Portsmouth—5.50, 7.30, 8.45, 9.00, 9.25, 10.00, 10.35 a. m.; 12.50, 1.14, 2.10, 3.40, 4.50, 6.00, 7.30, 10.00 p. m.; Sundays, 8.10, 8.24, 8.00, 10.30 a. m.; 1.30, 7.00, 7.30, 10.00 p. m.

Leave Portsmouth for Concord—7.27, 8.24, a. m.; 12.20, 6.28 p. m.; Sundays, 7.58 p. m.

Leave Concord for Portsmouth—7.21 a. m.; 12.05, 2.55, 3.40 p. m.; Sundays, 8.58 a. m.

Leave Portsmouth for Dover—5.54, 9.16, 10.51 a. m.; 12.22, 2.31, 5.37 p. m.; Sundays, 7.52, 10.50 a. m.; 1.25, 5.00, 5.45, 8.50 p. m.

Leave Dover for Portsmouth—7.00, 8.56 a. m.; 1.47, 4.22, 5.40, 4.47 p. m.; Sundays, 7.10 a. m.; 12.35, 5.00, 4.19, 7.30, 10.15 p. m.

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A master-at-arms went to Dover on Thursday, but failed to identify the suspect as the man wanted.

STEPHEN AUGUSTUS PREBLE.

The funeral of Stephen Augustus Preble was held at his late home in Blossom street at 2 o'clock this afternoon and was largely attended, delegations being present from St. Andrews Lodge, No. 56, A. F. and A. M., Union Lodge, No. 3, Knights of Pythias, and New Hampshire Lodge, No. 15, L. O. O. F., and Storer Post, No. 1, G. A. R. Rev. Alfred Gooding, pastor of the Unitarian church, officiated and the officers of St. Andrews Lodge performed the Masonic burial service. Burial was in South cemetery under the direction of O. W. Ham.

WEDDING RECEPTION.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Kelley of Middle street have issued invitations for the wedding reception of their daughter Margaret Valentine Kelley and Major Robert M. Callan, Coast Artillery Corps, United States Army, on the afternoon of Thursday, the tenth.

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The bird shooting season in New Hampshire opens next Tuesday, Oct. 1st. It is well to get a license before you start out in quest of game.

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Be sure and attend the old fashioned country fair at K G E Hall, Freeman's Block, this evening. Admission 10 cents.

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